

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please delete the paragraph on page 60, lines 1-7 and replace it with the following paragraph:

ICT1024 siRNA: Sense or antisense siRNAs are designed based upon targeted regions of a DNA sequence, as disclosed herein (see SEQ ID NO: ~~[[3]]66~~), and include fragments having up to 29 bps, 25 bps, 22 bps, 21 bps, 20 bps, 15 bps, 10 bps, 5 bps or any integer thereabout or therebetween. For example, 21 bps siRNA targeting the sense strand of mRNA include:

5'-AAGCTGGACATTCCCTCTGCG-3' (SEQ ID NO: 21) and

5'-AAGAGCCCAGCTTCCTGCAGC-3' (SEQ ID NO: 22).